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SUBJ: SECRETARY'S VISIT: REMARKS TO KABUL AMERICANS

SECRETARY MAY WISH TO DRAW FROM FOLLOWING MATERIAL FOR  
REMARKS TO AMERICAN COMMUNITY DURING VISIT TO KABUL:

1. APPRECIATE EFFORT THAT HAS GONE INTO MY VISIT. I AM  
TOLD THAT THE SIZE OF THE GROUP HERE AT THIS TIME IS DUE TO  
THE FACTS THAT TODAY IS YOUR DAY OFF AND THAT A FOOTBALL  
GAME IS IN PROGRESS NEXT DOOR. SOME OF MY STAFF WITH TIME  
ON THEIR HANDS HAVE BEEN OVER SCOUTING FOR GEORGE ALLEN.
2. UNDERLINE SATISFACTION IN STATE DEPARTMENT WITH  
PERFORMANCE OF US MISSION IN KABUL AND AMERICAN COMMUNITY  
AS A WHOLE. IN ADDITION TO STATE, USIS, AID, DEFENSE ATTACHE  
AND PEACE CORPS, THERE ARE BUSINESSMEN, STUDENTS AND VARIOUS  
PHILANTHROPIC GROUPS WHICH ARE CONTRIBUTING TO US/AFGHAN TIES.
3. ASSURE MEMBERS OF AMERICAN COMMUNITY THAT THEIR SERVICE  
OVERSEAS IS APPRECIATED AND THAT IT IS THEIR  
DEDICATION WHICH REPRESENTS THE BEST TYPE OF AMERICAN  
CONTRIBUTION TO PRESIDENT FORD'S SEARCH FOR A BETTER WORLD.  
STRESS THAT WASHINGTON DEPENDS ON AMERICAN OFFICIALS OVERSEAS  
FOR ACTIONS IN SUPPORT OF POLICY BUT ALSO THOUGHTFUL

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CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE DEVELOPMENT OF POLICY.

4. STATE THAT VISIT TO FOUR SOUTH ASIAN COUNTRIES  
HAS INCREASED THE SECRETARY'S AWARENESS OF THE PROBLEMS OF  
THE AREA BUT MORE IMPORTANTLY HAS DEEPENED HIS CONVICTION  
THAT THESE PROBLEMS CAN ONLY BE SOLVED IN AN ATMOSPHERE OF  
PEACE AND COOPERATION.

5. EXPRESS PLEASURE AT WARM RECEPTION FROM PRESIDENT  
DAOUD AND AFGHAN GOVERNMENT, AND STATE CONCLUSION THAT  
VISIT WILL CONTRIBUTE TO ENHANCED US/AFGHAN UNDERSTANDING.  
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